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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce that I am a candidate for the nomination, on the democratic ticket, to the office of county judge of Craig county, to succeed myself, subject to the action of the democratic primary election, and ask the support of all who are satisfied with my past record in said office.

THEO. D. B. FREAR.

I beg to announce myself as a candidate for the nomination of the office of County Attorney, on the Democratic ticket, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, to be held August the 2nd, 1910.

H. J. SWARTS,

Vinita, Okla.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Craig County, Oklahoma, for the term of 1911-12. Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held August 1910. Thankful for the support received heretofore, hope by conscientious effort to merit the same again.

H. E. RIDENHOUR.

Herewith beg to announce myself as a candidate for the Office of Register of Deeds of Craig County, Oklahoma. Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held August 1910. E. N. WILLIAMSON.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of clerk of the district court of Craig county, subject to the democratic primary.

D. B. STUTSMAN.

Look out for Good Friday and Easter they both come early this year.

It is said Congressman Creager has seen a great light, and is going to quit Uncle Joe. Too late, to late!

The county commissioner might build a few more bridges and improve some of the roads in Craig county while we are waiting.

Three cent passenger fare will soon amount to a great more than the excessive taxes that so much fuss has been made about in Oklahoma.

A good many people are wondering what Col. Roosevelt will do and say when he returns from his sojourn in the jungle. It may safely be stated that the Colonel will not die of inertia.

If the republicans of Oklahoma want to make the state guaranty law the paramount issue in this campaign it will be a welcome issue upon which to wage the battle in the coming campaign.

The Vinita Electric Light, Ice and Power company has begun a series of

articles appearing in this paper setting forth the facts with reference to its plant and its business in this city. A list of the stockholders, and a statement of the dividends appeared in the first and will be followed up with other information for the public. The company is asking for a new franchise for a term of 21 years, the same to be voted on at the regular spring election on April 5th. The matter is so important that every citizen should study the question carefully so as to be able to vote intelligently when the time comes.

SAVE THE CREDIT SLIP.

The following circular letter is being sent out by the corporation commission and contains good advice:

If you advanced money to improve the street in front of your home or to build a bridge between your farm and your market, or to secure any other material improvement, with a good prospect that the county or city or state would at some future time reimburse you provided you had evidence of the amount advanced, doubtless you would preserve the evidence of your expenditure.

This is your position in the matter of payment of three cents a mile railway fare now, as compared with the two-cent fare, except that you are not getting anything for the additional expenditure.

The railroads profiting by the federal injunction against the corporation commission are issuing receipts for fare on the three cent basis, and if the corporation commission wins the fight in the court of last record these receipts will be worth good cold cash to you.

Of course, the money you now have to pay in higher passenger fare is small in comparison with that you pay in higher freight. You pay higher passenger fare only when you ride on a train, and you pay higher freight every time you buy a pound of merchandise or eat a meal. But you may get part of the excess passenger fare back.

Save your receipts and they may be worth something to you in the future. They will be good for cash if the injunction by Judge Hook is dissolved in the final determination of the case.

ANOTHER GOOD SERVICE AT REVIVAL LAST NIGHT.

The people came promptly and entered into every part of the service with an enthusiasm good to see. During the song services Bro. Phillips asked for bible quotations and many gave them readily. The Sunshine choir is an attractive feature each evening, and adds much to the song service. Mrs. Lane of Monett, Mo., is delighting the people with her sweet solos each evening, and it is, indeed, a happy co-incidence that she should have come to Vinita just at this time to visit friends, and to her surprise meet with Bro. and Mrs. Phillips, with whom she has been associated before in revival work in Missouri. Bro. Phillips sang "Bought With a Price," as a solo, at the service last night, and it was a message which reached the hearts of men and women as they sat and listened to the "sweet old story" which never grows old.

Bro. Cantrell preached a strong sermon from the text Rev. 3:20 "Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if any man hear my voice and open the door, I will come into him and will sup with him and he with me."

None who hear these earnest appeals from this man of God, can but

Code Commissions Work Causes Warm Argument

Guthrie, Okla., Mar. 18.—A riotous time was had in the house of representatives Thursday during consideration of the bill by Senator Thomas appropriating \$16,500 to complete the codification of the Oklahoma statutes. Representatives Terral of Kiowa and Ewell of Bryan severely criticised the code commission, Mr. Ewell saying the "code commission is a shame and a disgrace to the state of Oklahoma." Representative Durant of Bryan differed from his colleague, Mr. Ewell, and there was a sharp, angry and personal debate between the two that threatened to terminate in physical hostilities for a time. The climax to the tumultuous argument came when the chairman of the committee of the whole, Representative Bryan of Pottawatomie, attempted to make Mr. Ewell take his seat, declaring him out of order. Mr. Ewell continued talking, and Mr. Bryan, in the chair, tried to drown his remarks by hammering with his gavel on the top of the speaker's desk. Mr. Ewell would not cease talking, and Mr. Bryan continued his thunderous hammering of the desk, until the whole house was in a furious uproar. The extraordinary scene continued for several minutes. The senators began deserting their work to see what was the matter, and the house chamber was soon crowded with spectators, which increased the confusion. The speaker pro tem of the house, Representative Harrison of Pittsburg, finally stepped up on the speaker's stand, checked Mr. Bryan's hammering and stopped Mr. Ewell's remarks, none of which, by the way, had been heard.

During the argument on the bill Mr. Terral said that the alleged code prepared by the chairman and secretary of the code commission, Judges Harris and Day, "is not complete enough, not accurate enough and not worthy enough to be adopted in any way." He

felt that his heart goes out in a yearning tenderness for every unsaved man and woman in Vinita.

Bro. Cantrell is an untiring worker and "whatsoever his hands find to do he doeth it with his might"—and Vinita shall never cease to feel the influence of this man in her midst. The interest was deep among the unsaved, and many were almost persuaded to settle this greatest of all questions. Ten additions at the morning service yesterday.

WEST ASKS TO WITHDRAW AS CROSS' ATTORNEY

Guthrie, Okla., Mar. 19.—After d'scovering that an attempt had been made to supplant him by the employment of other attorneys. Attorney General West filed application in the supreme court Friday asking permission to withdraw as attorney for Secretary of State Cross from the case in which an alternative writ of mandamus has been obtained against Cross in the supreme court by the local option petitioners requiring him to show cause why he should not pass on the sufficiency of the petitions. The attorney general asks permission to withdraw on the ground that private attorneys have filed an answer in the

supreme court to the alternative writ, which does not agree with the law of the case as the attorney general views it, and that those attorneys had been employed without his knowledge. This develops another instance in which an attempt has been made to supplant the attorney general in cases in which it is his duty to represent state officers. It was learned today that after the attorney general had filed his answer on behalf of Secretary of State Cross, attorneys connected with the attorney general's office were employed, it is said, by the anti-saloon league, to represent Cross, and these attorneys filed a second answer in the case.

Mr. Ewell was almost as equally denunciatory. The code commission got very little defense from any one, even those favoring the Thomas bill, having nothing to say complimentary. The Ewell motion to kill the bill was defeated by four votes, and the bill recommended for passage with one vote to spare.

The Oklahoma code commission is composed of five eminent lawyers, W. R. Brownlee of Kingfisher and J. R. Thomas of Muskogee, republicans, Jean P. Day of Poteau, Sam H. Harris of Oklahoma City and John H. Hays of Hobart, democrats. They were appointed by Governor Haskell and began work April 1, 1909. They were to have finished the work of compiling the Oklahoma laws by December 1, 1909, but fell out among themselves, divided into two factions, made one compilation of the statutes and a partially completed code. The Thomas bill proposes to discharge the code commission, and appoint, through a legislative committee of six, three representatives and three senators, some one competent man to complete the work of codifying the Oklahoma statutes. There is considerable doubt expressed as to the passage of the Thomas bill finally. It certainly did not have the requisite 55 votes yesterday afternoon.

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Congregational Church.
Palm Sunday. "The Triumphal Entry," at morning service.
Evening, "Why Many Good Men Do Not Attend Church."

Good music.
Sunday school at 9:45.
Christian Endeavor at 6:30.
A cordial welcome to all.

J. E. PERSHING, Pastor.

100,000 feet of oak lumber, at mill or yard in Vinita. See Capt. G. S. White, office, Campbell-Ratcliff Land company. 271-1f

A. T. Gilmore, of Claremore was a visitor in the city for a short time yesterday afternoon.

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